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COAL YARDS EMPTY

THERE'S LITTLE, IF ANY, TO BE HAD IN MARYVILLE.

SITUATION MORE ACUTE

Dealers Expecting Shipments Soon, But— Mayor Robey Will Try Again To Secure Several Car Loads.

Maryville is without coal. With one exception, every dealer in the city today is without coal to furnish customers. In one yard were a few tons of fine nut coal and that was exhausted early. Domestic consumers have tried repeatedly for two weeks to secure coal, but without success.

Dealers said this morning they were unable to furnish coal in any quantity and could not say when they would have a supply in. One dealer expected a car in today but was not certain it would get here.

The phone at the city hall was kept busy this morning in answer to calls from persons who were without coal, or whose supply would be exhausted in a day or two, asking to know if there was any relief in sight.

State Fuel Administrator Wallace Crossley advises that there is no reason for the people to get panicky in anticipation of a coal famine, as there will be plenty for everybody. The condition exists however that Maryville and other towns are without coal for individual consumers.

Mayor Robey when confronted with the situation this morning said that he was sure that he could get coal to relieve the shortage here and would at once get in communication with mines from whom he believed shipments would be sent. "I know," said the Mayor that folks think I made a lot of money on the coal I handled this summer. As a matter of fact I didn't take a cent and the records are here to show every transaction. I believed the fuel question would be a serious one and I tried to help out when I found I could get the coal to help with. There are some other mines besides the one that told me their output was being taken by the government for Fort Leavenworth, that I am sure I can get coal from, and I am getting in communication with them today. If any effort that I can put forth will relieve the situation here I am going to do it, whether it is done officially or unofficially."

The public schools are well supplied with coal, there being enough on hand to last until along in February, members of the school board say. The Normal has a good supply on hand and is in no immediate need.

The water works department finds it will not be hampered in the operation of the pumping plant for want of fuel and in addition to a good supply on hand is getting coal regularly every day from the mines. This despite the fact that the contract with the city to furnish coal has expired.

The electric light company has more than a month's supply on hand and coal is being received from the mines regularly, so there is no apprehension that operation of their plant will be affected.

Barring the action taken by Mayor Robey today there has been no effort on the part of civic or other organizations to relieve the situation.

DANIEL DAVID, AGE 86, DEAD

Well Known Resident of Clearmont Succumbs to Complication of Diseases—Burial Friday.

Daniel David, 86 years old, died at 7 o'clock this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ace Griffey of Clearmont, following a long illness of a complication of diseases.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning at the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Horace Weaver of Burlington Junction, assisted by Rev. R. R. Watts of Clearmont. Burial will be in the Oak Hill cemetery at Clearmont.

GEO. B. BAKER IS SELECTED

Named by State Y. M. C. A. Association to Handle Campaign to Raise Camp Fund In This District.

George B. Baker, president of the Real Estate Bank, and E. M. Claypool secretary of the Commercial Club, have been selected to have charge of the campaign to raise money for the Y. M. C. A. for the various camps and cantonments for the counties of Nodaway, Atchison, Worth and Gentry. Mr. Baker was appointed as chairman and Mr. Claypool as secretary. Missouri's share is $1,000,000. The campaign will be put on during the week of November 11 to 19. J. P. Banks, secretary of the State Y. M. C. A. association, made the appointments.

CALL 100 MORE MEN

EXEMPTIONS BY DISTRICT BOARD MAKE ORDER NECESSARY.

CLAIMS OF 51 GRANTED

List of Men Available to Fill Out Final Quota Is Exhausted—No Date Set Yet by Local Board.

The local draft board finds that it will be necessary to call at least one hundred more men in order to make up the fourth and final quota of men for the national army. Exemption claims of fifty-one men having been granted by the western district board at Kansas City, makes the order necessary. The board's records show that already 184 men have been furnished from Nodaway county and the exemptions granted have exhausted the list of available men expected to compose the last quota. The board has not yet announced the date for the men to appear. It is believed one hundred more men will be named in the call from which the final quota will be selected.

The exemptions granted by the western district board ,formal notice of which was received by Fred J. Yeomans, clerk of the local board, were to the following men:

John Morris Gordon.
Earl B. Halst.
Walter A. Cook.
Joshua W. Stephenson.
Emmett F. Wilder.
Robert C. Powell.
Geo. L. Andrews.
Ozero E. Bales.
John Beal.
William S. Crane.
Ernest F. Dale.
Hugh Ellis.
Walter G. Howard.
Edward S. Harrison.
Andrew C. Kimmet.
John L. Nicholson.
Ernest Ulmer.
Benjamin F. Wilson.
Robert J. Nigh.
Kenneth Ray Daniels.
Ward A. Bennett.
Virgil Oscar Moore.
Harry I. Jensen.
Lester E. Jasper.
George J. Hickerson.
Harvey E. King.
Chester A. Maurose.
Carlyle W. Huston.
Dale E. Bellows.
Leslie J. Winter.
Ora E. Walters.
George W. Walker.
Harry T. Wilson.
Charley I. Still.
William S. Cobb.
Raymond W. King.
Everett Carmichael.
William E. Bosch.
Louis A. Strader.
Robert B. Gex, Jr.
George Henry Cobb.
Christian A. Malam.
William Bartley Alkire.
Oren N. Lanning.
John W. Hendricks.
Darrell F. Wells.
Leroy C. Pruitt.
Glenn A. Hull.
Lloyd E. Powell.
Ralph I. Bilby.
Clarence Williams.

L. O. O. M. No. 899

All members of the local Moose lodge are requested to be present at the hall in the Ryan Building, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2, at 9:00 p. m.

Members of St. Joseph lodge will be present.

Business, Initiation, Smoker and Eats

CHAS. A. JENSEN Dictator

NAME FOOD LEADERS

CAMPAIGN IN POLK TOWNSHIP WILL START TOMORROW.

TOWNSHIPS ARE READY

County Director F. P. Robinson Announces Captains in Every School District to Take Pledges.

The campaign in Polk township for food conservation and taking of Hoover food pledges will not lack for efficient leaders and chairmen. County Food Director F. P. Robinson has taken pains to select men and women who are interested in community work and who are willing to devote a part of their time to helping make the campaign a success.

Mr. Robinson today named the following chairmen in townships not previously supplied: George Rimel in Washington and Mrs. Dr. Rhoades in Hughes townships.

The school district captains have been named as follows:

Lasher—Miss Ella O'Grady.
Elm Grove—Herman Hull.
Myrtle Tree—Ernest Wray.
Ireland—Will Osborn.
Garrett—B. R. Embree.
Swinford—Mrs. A. R. Robinson.
Olwell—Lou Rogers.
Knabb—W. B. Scott.
District No. 67—Andy Jensen.
Belle Grove—John Evans.
Martha Washington—C. D. McKibban.
Bedison—Rev. Thomas Young.
Rose Hill—R. W. Ambrose.
Jones Branch—C. C. Karr.
Scudder—Mike Baker.
Mt. Ayr—Henry Heitman.

There are a few others yet to supply in outlying districts and these will be named tomorrow. The campaign in the country will be pushed without delay and it is hoped to have the canvass completed by the end of the week.

Miss Jessie Parcher, in charge of the campaign in the city has not finally completed plans for the canvass, not having secured captains for each of the wards and districts. She hopes to be able to secure the co-operation of enough workers to begin the canvass of every family in the city tomorrow.

TO WATCH FOR PRANKSTERS

Tonight Is Hallowe'en and Young America Is Usually on the Job Until A Late Hour.

Is your gate fastened firmly to its hinges, and have you taken the precaution to nail the front steps tight?

Small boys are planning to have all kinds of fun tonight and old St. Hallowe'en is going along to help them find things that are movable. This is one night in the year when young America does all kinds of stunts, and they are alright if they get away with them, but this year, as in most other years the police are going to interfere with their "doings"—that is, if they can catch them.

Mayor Robey would not say this morning whether or not he would have extra men on duty to watch for miscreants, but the warning went out that arrests would be made if the law was violated.

IMPROVEMENTS AT EMPIRE.

All Posts on First Floor of the Auditorium Are Being Removed.

Albert Kuchs, of the Empire Theatre is having some changes made in the interior of the house that will be appreciated by patrons. The posts supporting the balcony are being removed, so that there will be nothing to obstruct the free view of the picture and the stage. The balcony will be supported from the roof.

Switchmen Ask 50 Per Cent Raise.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—The switchmen's union has demanded an increase of fifty per cent in wages, following a conference of union officials. A referendum vote will be taken and if no answer is received in thirty days notice will be given to the railroads. The present scale affecting 20,000 men has been in effect seven years.

German Agents in Wisconsin.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—The government is investigating the opposition to the food conservation program in Wisconsin, by farmers who it is learned have been advised by German sympathizers to hold their commodities for higher prices.

NAME OFFICIALS FOR GAME

John Mills, Kirksville and T. A. Butler, Kansas City, Will Officiate at Normal-Tarkio Game Friday.

The tension is tight at the Normal with the football squad. It is just two days until the Tarkio game and if there ever was a game the Normals wanted to win it is this particular game on Friday afternoon between the hours of three and six o'clock. Realizing that it will take something more than wishing and hoping, the squad has been undergoing some strenuous workouts and the dopesters have about got it figured to their satisfaction that Tarkio is going up against the toughest proposition she has ever tackled.

Officials for the game are announced by Athletic Director Walter Hanson today as follows: Referee, John C. Mills, Kirksville; umpire, T. A. Butler, Kansas City; head linesman, Walter Wray, Maryville.

The game will occur during the teachers' convention and the largest crowd of the season will see the two teams struggle for supremacy.

RETURN FROM CONVENTION

Mission Circle of Maryville Church Sets A New Record For Gifts For Missionary Causes.

Most of the Maryville and Nodaway county delegates and visitors to the big convention of Christian churches in Kansas City returned home today and last night, a number having remained to witness the missionary pageant last night in Convention Hall, in which more than three hundred persons took part.

The Women's Missionary circle of the church here are proud of the record made by the circle, it being announced at the convention that the Maryville circle was third in the list of all circles in the denomination in point of gifts and contributions to missionary causes, over $3,000 being given by the members. One of the impressive ceremonies of the convention was the love gift of the women of Missouri, when they deposited $5,300 in the baskets provided for that purpose.

Among those from Maryville and other towns in the county who attended the convention were:

Rev. and Mrs. C. Emerson Miller, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilfley, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. W. A. Miller, Mrs. James B. Robinson, W. W. Glass, Mrs. G. H. Westfall and son, Marvin, Mrs. Robert Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and daughter, Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goforth and daughter, Doris, Miss Gertrude Wright, Mrs. W. L. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Walton C. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry; Rev. and Mrs. Melanthon Moore, Skidmore; Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Hutchison, Pickering; Rev. and Mrs. Horace S. Weaver, Pickering; Rev. A. R. Hunt, Ravenwood; Rev. and Mrs. W.A. Chapman, Barnard and Rev. Thomas Young, of Bedison.

REV. MILLER GOES TO OREGON.

Will Hold A Three-weeks' Revival Meeting for Church There.

Rev. C. Emerson Miller, pastor of the First Christian church left this morning for Oregon, Mo., where he will hold a three-weeks' revival meeting for the church there. Rev. Dawson, pastor of the Oregon church will occupy his pulpit during two Sundays of his absence. The members of the church will have charge of the services next Sunday morning when reports will be made of the convention at Kansas City.

USED NEW PICTURE MACHINE.

Christian Church Buys Latest Type of Film Projector For Series.

A crowded house at the Christian church were entertained by the film, "Julius Caesar," a six-reel picture elaborately staged and well acted. A new projection machine of the latest and most approved type was used for the first time last night, giving splendid satisfaction. It was announced that the next number of the Lyceum course, two weeks hence, will be "Joseph and His Brethren."

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilfley returned last night from Kansas City, where they attended the National Convention of Christian churches.

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HELP WIN THE WAR

STATE WIDE CANVASS IN FOOD CONSERVATION CAMPAIGN.

REFUSALS TO SIGN FEW

Reports to State Headquarters Show Thousands of Men, Women and Children Have Pledged Aid.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Oct. 31.—Missouri is responding enthusiastically to the state-wide food pledge campaign. Reports here from all sections of the state show that thousands of men, women and children are signing the Hoover pledge to conserve food and help the United States win the war.

A house-to-house canvass is being made by representatives in practically every town and city in the state and everyone in the family visited above ten years of age, is asked to sign the pledge. There have been but few refusals.

Picture show audiences were addressed by four minute speakers on food conservation and school children in public, private and parochial schools were supplied with signature sheets and pledge cards to take home.

The proclamation of Governor Gardner earnestly recommending that every person in the state actively cooperate with the national food administration and sign the pledge this week, has stimulated the campaign.

"I firmly predict," says the governor, "that when this enrollment shall have been completed, Missouri will have maintained her place in the front rank of states in service to the nation."

AN OLD RESIDENT IS DEAD

"Uncle Billy" Mathers Passes Away at His Home at Barnard—Had Lived in County Since '69.

"Uncle Billy" Mathers died at 8:30 o'clock this morning at his home near Barnard of a complication of diseases. Mr. Mathers had been in poor health for several years, but had only been seriously ill for a few days. He is survived by his wife, two brothers, and one sister. His brothers and sisters are: Oliver and Samuel Mathers of Barnard, and Mrs. Mary Green of Ottawa, Kan.

Mr. Mathers is well known in this county, having come here with his parents in 1869, settling near Barnard, where he has since lived. The early part of his life was spent in Petersburg County, Ill.

Funeral services will probably be held Friday afternoon.

GERMAN ADVANCE GOES ON

Cadorna Is Retreating and Burning Bridges Behind Him—Allies Are Hurrying to His Aid.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Oct. 31.—The Teutons continue to advance today, Von Buelow's forces having almost reached the upper Tagliamento. Generl Cadorna is retreating and burning all bridges behind him, greatly retarding the advance of the enemy. The Allies are hurrying to Italy's assistance. The Teuton drive may act as a boomerang and the spring drive may be carried out this winter regardless of whether the greatest battle of the war is expected near Tagliamento river.

A BIG FIRE AT BALTIMORE

Five Million Dollar Blaze Knokn to be of Incendiary Origin—Two Dead; 20 Missing.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Baltimore, Oct. 31.—German agents are believed to have been responsible for a five million dollar fire which started in the harbor today. Ten stevedores, who jumped from a burning ship are still missing. At two piers of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad British Steamships and Old Immigration pier the fire started simultaneously in five places. Much war material for the Allies was destroyed. Eighty submarine shells exploded in a steamer in the middle of th eharbor sinking her. The railroad police and government officers are conducting an investigation into the causes.

Positive evidence that the fire was of incendiary origin was given by a railroad guard and a fireman stationed on the pier who saw rockets in half a dozen places just before the flames burst out. Two sailors are dead and twenty or more men are missing.

WHEATLESS DAYS AT CAFE

Will Edwards Announced Wheat and Meat Will Be Off the Menu On Days to Be Designated.

Edwards Cafe is the first Maryville public eating house to fall in line with the wheatless and meatless days movement. Will Edwards, the proprietor, has announced that wheat and meat articles of food will not appear on the menu for those days. However, he will prepare meat orders and furnish wheat bread to any who insist upon having them. Fish, oysters, chicken, corn bread and muffins and rye bread will hereafter appear on the bill of fare those days, says Mr. Edwards.

'DON'T GET PANICKY'

THERE'LL BE PLENTY OF COAL, SAYS DIRECTOR CROSSLEY.

PLANS SPEEDY RELIEF

State Fuel Administrator, Armed With Plenary Powers, Hopes to Have State's Output Increased.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Oct. 31.—Armed with plenary powers to invoke the aid of the United States in any measures to gain a greater coal output, more freight cars and to prevent coal hoarding, State Fuel Administrator Wallace Crossley here today is blocking out plans for speedy relief for Missouri's coal shortage.

He is planning to appoint a state advisory committee of about five members and divide the state into about 50 districts. He will select a chairman either today or tomorrow for each district and each chairman in turn will appoint committees in their respective districts.

The committee will make reports of the amount of coal on hand in their localities and keep such reports up to the minute.

"There is no need to get panicky over a coal famine," Crossley said. "There is none and will be none. All mines are operating and coal shipments have priority in all trade movements, excepting those of troops."

In appointing district chairmen Crossley said they will not be selected along political lines but on a non-partisan basis, only the integrity of the men counting. Men engaged in the coal business are not eligible.

ITS NOT QUITE "BONE DRY"

But National Capitol Will Get Along Without Saloons and Buffets After Tomorrow.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Oct. 31.—The national capitol tomorrow becomes the City of Beautiful Distances — Between Drinks. Today it is bidding a long farewell to its saloons, drinks with one's meals and club buffets. It is not losing John Barleycorn altogether, however, for there will be liquor—lots of it—because Congress, while legislating the saloon, restaurant and club licenses out of existence, carefully avoided making Washington "bone dry."

Last January, after long agitation by the Anti-Saloon League, Congress finally passed the Sheppard "Dry District of Columbia Bill." Previously Congress had passed the Reed bone dry amendment that made absolutely dry prohibition States that still admitted the importation of liquor for personal use. There was no real effort made to make this amendment apply to the dry District of Columbia bill and everyone, including the Anti-Saloon League, seemed satisfied. The result is that, beginning tomorrow, liquor of all kinds may be brought into the District for personal use from even nearby towns in Maryland, but the purchase or drinking of it in public will be prohibited.

Mrs. Charles Rose was shopping in Maryville yesterday.

TO CALL 9 DOCTORS

NODAWAY IS ASKED TO FURNISH ITS QUOTA FOR ARMY.

MEDICS TO MEET FRIDAY

All Physicians Have Been Invited By County Association to Dinner and Program at Elks Club.

It is up to Nodaway county to furnish nine physicians for service with the medical corps of the United States armies and there will be a meeting of the medical men of the county on Friday afternoon at the Elks Club to discuss this and other important matters. Invitations have been sent to all physicians in the county to meet at 2:30 o'clock when following a program, a conservation dinner will be served.

In addition to local physicians the following St. Joseph practitioners will be on the program: Dr. F. Spencer, Dr. J. J. Bansback, Dr. W. F. Gaetz and Dr. H. W. Carle. The visiting physicians will be accompanied by their wives and all will drive here in their cars. The ladies will be entertained at a local hotel by the wives of the resident doctors.

Dr. Vilas Martin, Dr. L. E. Dean and Dr. F. M. Ryan are members of the program committee. Dr. H. S. Rowlett is secretary of the Nodaway County Medical association.

It is learned that information from the government discloses the fact that within a few weeks nine physicians will be called to service, or twenty-per cent of the resident practitioners in the county. It is probable that unless this number make arrangements to answer the call that they will be drafted through the American Medical association, or through pledges made as physicians to the government.

It is stated that the government is 8,000 short of its present need for army doctors.

CONTEST FOR ATTENDANCE

Harrison County Accepts Challenge of Nodaway to Have the Largest Number of Delegates.

Harrison county is going to try for an attendance record at the coming State Sunday School convention to be held here next month. G. B. Roseberry is in receipt of a letter from Frank Holloway, president of the Harrison County association, accepting a challenge and will undertake to see that Harrison county has more delegates and visitors at the convention than Nodaway county. In the contest it is understood that delegates and visitors from Maryville will not count, only those from outside towns and rural districts.

As plans for the convention progress there is much interest being taken all over this part of the state and State Secretary Bowmar's prediction that the convention here would be the largest in recent years promises to be more than made good.

Oppose New Chancellor.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Oct. 31.—There has been a storm of protests by Socialists and Liberalists against the appointment of Hertling as German chancellor on account of his known reactionary tendencies.

To Keep Down Milk Prices.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Milk dealers here in an effort to keep down the price of milk may refuse to pay over $3 per hundred, the present price.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Phillips of St. Joseph will hold services at Bedison Saturday and Sunday night. 31-2

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; slightly warmer tonight, lowest temperature about 32.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
15 and 25 cents

Artcraft Pictures, with
MARY PICKFORD
World's Foremost Screen Artist, in
"Less Than The Dust"
A Story of A Little Castaway.
Tomorrow—"The Cost of Hatred."

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WALTER S. TODD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of October, 1917.
(Seal) A. F. HARVEY,
Notary Public.
(My commission expires June 19, 1919).

Hallowe'en at the roller rink tonight.

Mrs. Grace Thompson of Bedison was shopping in Maryville yesterday.

A Thousand Dollars Worth——

Of New Coats and Dresses arrived this morning for this week's selling. Select your new coat and dress from this showing and be assured that you are getting New York's latest ideas.

SERGE DRESSES—
$10.00 to $40.00

BEAUTIFUL COATS—
$12.50 to $45.00

We offer a special discount of ten per cent to all teachers making their purchases here Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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MAKE COUNTRY ROADS SAFE

State Highway Department Urges Round Corners and Hedge Rows That Obstruct View Removed.

Statistics now being compiled in the office of the State Highway Department reveal an appalling number of automobile accidents due to dangerous grade crossings, sharp turns and obstructed views along our public highways. In order to insure safety of travel, a determined effort should be made to secure right of way to avoid grade crossings wherever possible, property owners should be prevailed upon to set their fences back in order to round corners, and all advertising signs, trees, hedge-rows and brush which obstruct the view and thereby endanger travel should be removed.

The increasing number of motor vehicles in use on our public roads makes it more than ever necessary to exercise all possible precaution to prevent accidents which result in a needless loss of life and property.

A big time for all who attend the roller rink tonight.

THE NEWS AT CENTENARY

Men of Community Help Install Furnace at Church—Hold Services in Spite of Cold.

Centenary people listened to an able sermon delivered by Rev. M. Dewitt Sunday morning. This was Rev. Dewitt's regular appointment and some thought there would be no services on account of the furnace not being completed. However, oil heaters took the place of a furnace and the sermon was greatly appreciated by those whom we were able to reach on the phone.

Donald Wray, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. McDowell returned to his home in Maryville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnston spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Sharp. Afternoon guests at the Sharp home were: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGinness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johnston and Arthur Puett were afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McDonald of Maryville.

Mrs. Margaret Tarpley returned Sunday from a week's visit with Maryville friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCormic spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harkness were afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Strader.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turpin entertained at dinner Sunday, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester of Skidmore and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinness and children, Hazel, Edna and Lucile.

Rev. M. Dewitt and sons, Howard and Warren and Mrs. Jennie Carver were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury and son, Ralph, spent the day Sunday with J. D. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and children, Eula, Marie and Eudora, Maggie Seckington, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Seckington and Mrs. Margaret Tarpley were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McDonald of Maryville.

Rev. Dewitt and sons, Howard and Warren, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nichols Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hammond and children were Sunday guests of Uncle Asa Broyles and Mrs. Ellen Eslinger.

The Woman's Missionary Society meets this Thursday with Mrs. J. W. Smith.

Adrian Tarpley, who has been stationed at Camp Funston, has been transferred to the Depot Brigade and is now stationed at Camp Cody, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald, Mrs Jennie Carver, Sam McGinness and James Young were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Strader, Mr and Mrs. Howard Johnston and N. B Shrewsbury took dinner with Mrs. W. D. McDonald Tuesday.

Work of excavation for the furnace at Centenary church is progressing nicely. The work is being donated by men of the vicinity. Those who have assisted so far are: C. W. Nichols, Rev. M. Dewitt, N. B. Shrewsbury, Carl Turpin, Ralph Strader, Howard Johnston, George Wood, Jennings Reed, Harlan Reed, John S. Smith, Sam McGinness, Willie McDonald, Bert Reece and James Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Linville and Mr. W. A. Reed and children, Esther, Jennings, Harlan, Vernie, and Ernie were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrett.

Mrs. Dallas Owens is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Owens this week.

Mrs. Jess Linville returned Sunday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tygart, of Holt county.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coffelt and son, Eldon, of Ravenwood were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turpin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinness and children, Hazel, Edna and Lucile, and Mrs. Lillie Wood and children, George, John and Harlan, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mrs. B. F. Tarpley and children, Willie, Lena and Edna, were afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Tarpley.

YOU MUST PAY THREE CENTS

It Will Cost An Extra Cent to Carry First Class Letters After Tomorrow.

To write or not to write—after November 1—that is the question. Whether it is nobler in the mind to restrain the 2-cent epistolary habit or more patriotic in the conscience to write more often than usual—for 3 cents. For every cent buys a fifth of a bullet. Remember that. A cartridge costs approximately 5 cents. And a strip of gauze for a bandage somewhat less. Thus we can all do our further bit.

Such thoughts arise in anticipation of the order of the postmaster general making effective, on the second of November, the new postal rates: Three cents an ounce for first class matter (except drop letters) and 2 cents for postal cards (except printed ones).

It is a trifling thing—this penny tax. Rockefeller saved his first money, and laid the foundation for the greatest fortune in the world, by sending postals instead of 3-cent letters on business errands. (That was the last time Uncle Sam asked 3 cents to carry a letter). And England lost the American colonies by adding a penny tax on tea.

AN END TO "WHITE WAYS"

The Discontinuance of Unnecessary Street Lighting Will Save 700,000 Tons of Coal, Belief.

Washington, Oct. 31. — The Great White Ways of American cities will soon be darkened. By an order to be issued next week by the fuel administration here, unnecessary outdoor lighting will be discontinued during the war, to save fuel. Simultaneously, appeal will be made to voluntarily curtail indoor lighting.

Under the Garfield mandate, outdoor electric advertising signs will be greatly restricted if not entirely extinguished. Ornamental "white ways" will be allowed to continue only when absolutely necessary for street lighting.

General admission 10c; skates 5c and 15c at rink tonight.

ONLY GOOD DAILY PAPER THAT HAS NOT RAISED ITS SUBSCRIPTION PRICE YET

The St. Joseph News-Press Is About the Only One in This Section of the Country That Can Still Be Had at the Old Pate of $3.00 Per Year.

With one exception—the St. Joseph News-Press—the metropolitan newspapers in this section, have followed the general tendency to raise prices and have increased their mail subscription rates. The enormous increase in white paper and all other materials for publication of newspapers is the occasion for the advances, which have ranged from 33⅓ to 100 per cent. Kansas City papers that were $3.00 and $5.20 are now $4.20 and $7.80. Topeka papers which were $4.00 are now $4.80 and $5.00. Des Moines papers formerly $2.00 are now $4.00. Omaha papers that were $2.00 and $4.00 are now $3.00 and $6.00. Lincoln papers that were $2.00 are now $4.00. St. Joseph dailies, with the exception of The News-Press, have gone from $3.00 to $4.00. The St. Joseph News-Press has not raised its price and is still $3.00 per year by mail. This paper has endeavored to meet the increased cost of paper by economies in its circulation department and has dispensed with its traveling collectors, relying upon its subscribers to forward their subscriptions when due.

The News-Press continues to be as it has been, an excellent daily newspaper giving the news of the world. It has many interesting and important features and an accurate and complete market report. The News-Press cartoons are widely copied and its editorials are accepted as substantial, patriotic expressions of sound American views.

No increase in subscription price has yet been announced, but with the steadily rising markets it is impossible to say how long the old rate will continue. Those who want a thoroughly high-class, independent, patriotic American newspaper with the complete news of the world and commercial markets, should subscribe promptly at the old price of $3.00 per year. Check or money order.—Adv.

"LESS THAN THE DUST."

Mary Pickford Tonight at Empire in Play By Her Own Company.

Manager Albert Kuchs announces the first presentation at the Empire Theatre of Mary Pickford in her new photo play, "Less Than Dust." Her screen appearances during this engagement will have an additional interest in that it will mark her first presentation here of a production made under her own guidance and directed by her own company, the Mary Pickford Film Corporation. It will be the most elaborate production in which she has ever been seen, one that has been given a masterly direction by John Emerson. Its scenes are laid in India and England, Miss Pickford playing the part of a castaway, a girl of English birth who, having been adopted by a Hindu sword maker, is reared among the natives of the lower caste. Its story is full of realism and dramatic strength with an appealing love story in which the girl and a young English officer are the central figures. Miss Pickford has surrounded herself with a caste of distinction with a company of unusual size appearing in the various elaborate and picturesque scenes.

Miss Lois Smith of Arkoe was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

Confetti and noise makers from 9:30 to close of session at rink tonight.

Silk Skirts

One lot Fancy Stripe Silk Skirts only

$3.98

See part of These in Show Window

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DR. A. W. BARRACLOUGH

For over 35 years the successful specialist of KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

DR. BARRACLOUGH, Specialist, is licensed by the state of Missouri to treat all chronic, nervous and special diseases of men, women and children. I offer to all who call on me on this date Free consultation, examination, and honest, competent advice, without your assuming any obligation whatsoever, and make no charge for such service. All I ask for these services is that each patient treated will tell their friends of the results obtained from my treatment.

Dr. Barraclough took years of special training in Kansas City hospitals treating diseases of men and women under the most successful specialists of the times, and keeps up-to-date with the latest and best in modern medicine and surgery.

I do not advise surgical operation unless it is absolutely necessary and the last resort.

Chronic Diseases—I treat successfully Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, Growths, Tumors, Enlarged Glands, Pimples, Dyspepsia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Deafness, Goitre, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Gall Stones, Piles, Fistula, Rupture, Hydrocele, Kidney and Bladder afflictions and all Chronic, Nervous, Blood, Skin and Pelvic Diseases, and especially diseases of the digestive organs, Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, and the Intestinal Tract from which over 60% of the ills of the human race, originate.

I use the intervenous treatment 914, for blood diseases; get quick results. Also the Bannermann intervenous treatment for general debility, broken down constitutions caused by indigestion, constipation, malassimilation, due to catarrhal conditions of the stomach and intestinal tract. Also special serums for special conditions.

My Warning to Men — If through overwork, late hours, or disipation of any kind, you discover that you are below par, or not the man you should be, which often happens to good men, do not be discouraged, come to see me and tell me your troubles confidentially and I will give you the best advice, which long years of practical experience has qualified me to do.

My Message to Women — The ailments peculiar to women are varied and numerous. Women's burdens, trials and tribulations are many; she is born to suffer in silence. I will not dwell on the many afflictions to which women are heir; suffice to say that I have been treating these maladies successfully for many years. While operations are often necessary to save life, still no one realizes more than I the humbuggery and useless operations that exist and are performed. I have saved thousands of women from the surgeon's deadly knife. My sympathies are enlisted with every suffering woman.

No matter what your trouble or who has failed, call for a free examination. I will treat you courteously and honestly. No matter what your ailment may be, no matter what others may have told you, no matter what experience you may have had with other physicians, it will be to your advantage to see me at once. Have it forever settled in your mind. If your case is incurable I will give you such advice as may relieve and stay the disease. Do not put off this duty you owe yourself or friends or relatives who are suffering because of your sickness, as a visit at this time may help you.

Worn-out and run-down men or women, no matter what your ailment may be, call, it costs you nothing.

Remember, this is a free offer for your benefit.

Married ladies come with their husbands and minors with their parents.

Will be at Linville Hotel Maryville, Mo.

Saturday Only, Nov. 10th

A Plea for a Good Countryside Home

In Europe the men of financial stability are the landowners and their country residences, as a rule, are handsomely furnished.

The Farmers of the United States

Are rightly called the backbone of the country because they are the real producers and they are men of dependable financial strength but many of their homes are not furnished according to their ability and circumstances.

Of all the Men, the Farmer Needs The Greatest Comfort

After a hard day's labor to relax his weary body from the strain of the day, and there is no earthly reason why he should not have it.

He can best afford it, although he may make himself believe that he cannot. The price of a few loads of corn will transform your home into a place of comfort and beauty for a lifetime, will give to the rooms an air of refinement, keep your children at home, and make your residence the social center of the community.

If, then, you will permit us to assist you in this movement for a better furnished home we will consider it a priviledge to serve you. Call upon us at any time for suggestions and look over our offerings. You will certainly not be urged to spend a cent with us unless you wish to. All we want is to show you the ideas in furniture and how reasonably it may be had in whatever grade you can afford to make your selections.

Watch the newspapers next week for something that will be of interest to every farmer in Nodaway coenty.

Price & McNeal

The One Price Store with 10 per cent discount for Cash

FURNITURE *RUGS*

Visiting Teachers

Eat your meals here during the Annual Corn Show and Teachers Meeting. You will find the best Quality and Service here,

ANNOUNCEMENT:—Tuesday's and Friday's will be Meatless and Wheatless days here, Chicken, Fish, Oysters, Corn Bread and Muffins, Rye Bread, etc., will be served on those days.

Edwards'
412 NORTH MAIN
"The Place to Eat" *Phone 39*

Fire At Parnell.

Fire of unknown origin, which started in the interior of the restaurant owned by Frank Jones of Parnell, did considerable damage last night. The building is owned by E. H. Jones of Parnell. The damage is fully covered by insurance.

A ban has been placed on cakes and candies at the domestic science contest to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week at the Normal, owing to the shortage of sugar. All children are requested not to bring either.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY.
Hanamo, 42. Farmers, 114

Will Entertain At Cox Home.

The gold side of the Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will entertain the members of the silver side, Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox. All members are requested to be present.

Tuesday Bridge.

Mrs. M. L. Beattie was hostess yesterday afternoon to the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club. High score was won by Mrs. Ralph Eversole. Miss Kitty Grems and Mrs. O. B. Metcalf of Girard, Ill., who is the guest of Mrs. Ralph Eversole were the guests present.

Ladies' Aid Has Kensington.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Presbyterian church held a Kensington yesterday afternoon at the church. During the afternoon the members sewed for the rummage sale which will be held Friday and Saturday of this week. About fifteen members were present.

Parnell Dinner Party.

Misses Minnie and Lola Barber were hostesses at a dinner given Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Barber of Parnell. Their guests were: Misses Iva Fish, Maggie Spire, Margaret Schmitz, Viola Seyster and Creta Barber, Harold Coy, Roscoe Reeves, Henry Newcomb, Raymond DeFreece Charles Sexton, Bernadine Schmitz and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Talkington.

Six O'clock Dinner Tonight.

Mrs. Isabel Worst will entertain at 6 o'clock dinner tonight in honor of Mrs Fayette Smith and two daughters Misses Martha and Stella, of Modesto, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McKee and little son, Joe, and Mrs. Frances Totterdale of Pueblo, Colo.

Dinner Party at Harmony Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Auffart of near Harmony entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Virges and family of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. George Baird and family of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Davis of Ravenwood, Mrs. C. C. Mahoney of Little Rock, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Good of Ravenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Logan and family of Parnell and Mrs. Phoebe Green and children of Albany.

Kensington This Afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Corwin, assisted by her daughter, Miss May Corwin, entertained with a Kensington this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Fayette Smith and her two daughters, Misses Martha and Stella, of Modesto, Calif., who are visiting friends in Maryville. About thirty guests were present. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Aley, Hostess.

The Bloomdale Willing Workers spent an enjoyable afternoon Friday with Mrs. Robert Aley. Roll call was responded to by giving the mottoes of the states. After the business session refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Frank Maxon. Twelve club members were present. The club adjourned to meet in two weeks with Mrs. Marvin Wray, with Mrs. Maxon as leader. A miscellaneous program will be given.

Sunday Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. William Birkenholz of Parnell were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner Sunday given in honor of their son, Roy Birkenholz, who was home from Camp Funston on a short visit. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Birkenholz of Sheridan, Mr. and Mrs. Bert New of Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Birkenholz of Quitman, W. A. Crenshaw of Bath, S. D., H. L. Crenshaw of Conception, Bert Hayden of Maryville; Misses Esta, Golda, Helen and Mildred Birkenholz, Inez and Florence New, Faye Lincoln and Lucile Crenshaw, Joe, Roy, Dale, Tom, Julius and Linwood Birkenholz, Ralph Doyle, Leslie and Lloyd New and Austin Crenshaw.

Hallowe'en Party.

Misses Gladys and Opal Taylor entertained a few friends at a Hallowe'en party last night at their home on East Jenkins street. Autumn leaves, black cats and jack-o-lanterns were used as decorations. A ghost met the guests at the door and conducted them through the parlors. Games furnished plenty of amusement for the children, until they were directed to a large bon-fire, where they toasted marshmallows. While still around the fire refreshments were served by Mrs. P. M. Taylor, assisted by Mrs. Frank Henderson. The guests invited were: Mary Ruth Curfman, Grace Dietz, Esther Overmire, Thelma Cozad, Esther Wells, Doris Zahm, Hilda Denny, Emma Ryan, Floy Saunders and Ruth Hughes.

In Honor of James Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis of Bolckow entertained at dinner Sunday at their home in honor of their son, James Davis, who was home from Camp Funston to spend Sunday. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Homa Hall and two sons, Lloyd and Bailey, of Fillmore, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Davis and son, Oren of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, and two sons, of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Saunders, Miss Elsie Alkire and Will Alkire of Maryville, Mrs. Eva Davis and two sons, Donald and Leland, and Miss Nettie Miller of Graham.

2,000 Germans Discharged.

New York, Oct. 31.—Two thousand Germans employed on the Brooklyn water front were discharged today by a Federal order accounting for regulation of aliens. 28,000 aliens are under surveillance here.

Program starts at 8:30 at rink tonight.

CHILDREN
Should not be "dosed" for colds—apply "externally"—
"Keep a Little Body-Guard in Your Home"
VICK'S VAPORUB

Hand Picked

Bulk Ben Davis Apples Wednesday and Thursday

85c per bushel at Vandersloot's old stand West Third Street. No delivery

J. W. Ray

Dr. D. J. Thomas
Maryville, Missouri

Will be out of my dental office from **October 15th until November 1st.**

November appointments may be arranged with the office girl from 1:30 until 5:30 afternoons.

DR. D. J. THOMAS.

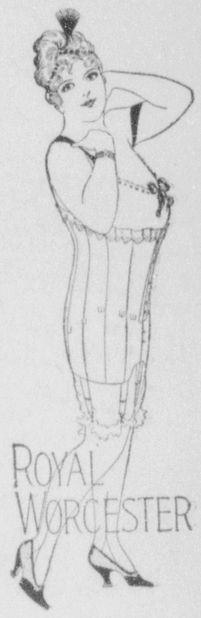
Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

The Keynote to Corset Perfection

CORSETRY has reached such perfection today that any figure—not deformed, of course—can obtain shapely lines and good poise. The well fitting corset is not necessarily a matter of expense. Two things are necessary to attain corset perfections—First, selecting a model individually designed for your figure; and Second, adjusting the corset properly to your figure.

We maintain a fitting service that costs you nothing extra and by having your corset fitted you are assured of the proper model for your individual needs.

Then, our stock of Royal Worcester and Bon Ton Corsets offers an almost unlimited range of styles—in front lace and back lace designs among them there is one or more models that will give you perfect corset satisfaction.



Royal Worcester Corsets - $1.00 to $3.00
Bon Ton Corsets - - - $3.00 to $10.00

Come In and Be Fitted Properly

Best program of the season at the rink tonight.

MOOSE WILL ROAM THE STREETS OF MARYVILLE.

On Friday next we will let down the bars and permit a herd of strange and altogether curious looking animals to stroll about our peaceful streets. Our police will carry an extra gun or two and they are ordered to shoot on sight. Ambulances will be in readiness and all are warned to stay in doors while the zoo is being corralled. To add to the bellowing and make it even more discordant they have arranged to bring with them a quartette of steers who (or which) will torture our ears with "mooings" "lowings" and "brayings." The lock-up has been made especially cosy in anticipation of the expected invasion. "Big Crazy Moose Wilson" will be on the steering end of the round-up and Charlie Jensen has promised to escort them to the Sheriff's office in the "Black Maria." Several misguided men will be taken into the fold that evening and Maryville and St. Joseph will clasp hands and say "Howdy Pap" in a manner heretofore unknown. 31

PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE!

People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, the bowels and the liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel; there's never any sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result.

Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

EMMETT LOWE NEAR DEATH.

In Company With Grandfather Went West Last Month for His Health.

Lafe Stamper received a telegram from George S. Lowe of Kerman, Cal., yesterday evening stating that Emmett Lowe was at the point of death. Emmett Lowe, in company with his grandfather, Geo. S. Lowe, left here September 7 in a motor car for the West for the benefit of Emmett's health which was failing. Emmett Lowe is a nephew of Mrs. Paul Carpenter and Mrs. Lafe Stamper of this city. He is about twenty years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Younger of Burlington Junction announce the birth of a daughter, this morning.

Airplane Attack Was Foiled.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Oct. 31.—An unsuccessful attempt of airplanes to attack the Kentish coast early this morning was foiled by the coast defense guard.

Robert Tobin, who has been visiting points in Colorado, returned last night to his home in Burlington Junction.

Funeral services for Mrs. Rorel Carriger (colored), who died Sunday morning, will be held at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon at the African Methodist church on South Vine street.

A Hallowe'en social will be given Friday night at the Methodist church at Gaynor City.

How Automobiles Are Made

A Film Production which takes the visitor through America's Greatest Automobile Factory and explains the processes and magnitude of operation.

Empire Theatre
Tonight Only

This film is brought to Maryville through the courtesy of the Sewell Auto Company, district agents for the Willys-Overland Automobile Company.

Ask Carpenter
He Probably Knows

A few minutes spent in learning the how and why of your Kodak will make a decided improvement in the quality of your pictures. It's the little things that count. I've been several years getting the knowledge I can give you in a few minutes. You can learn by making the mistakes and finding what not to do but its so much easier and less disappointing to learn before.

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4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW.

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY.

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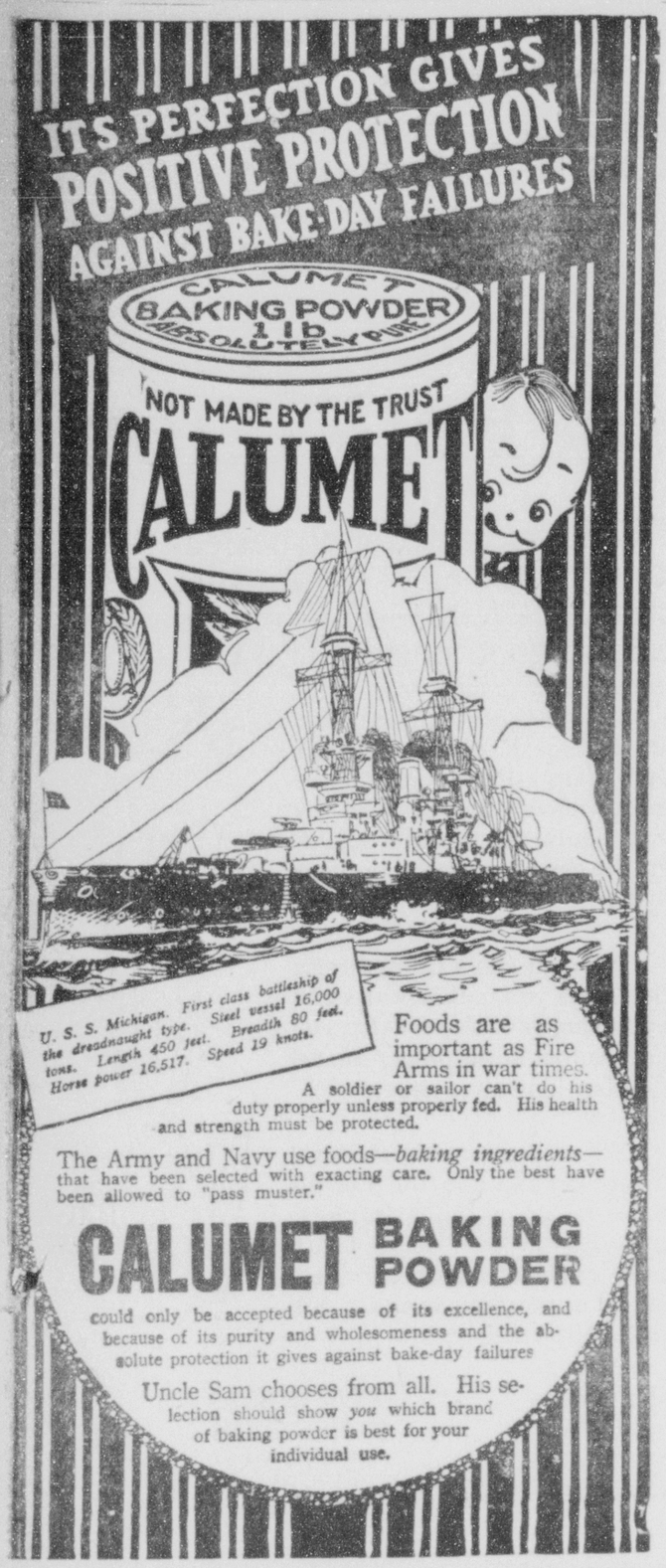
A BANK OF SAVINGS. MARYVILLE, MO.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POSITIVE PROTECTION
AGAINST BAKE-DAY FAILURES
CALUMET
BAKING POWDER
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ABSOLUTELY PURE
NOT MADE BY THE TRUST
CALUMET
U. S. S. Michigan. First class battleship of the dreadnaught type. Steel vessel 16,000 tons. Length 450 feet. Breadth 80 feet. Horse power 16,517. Speed 19 knots.
Foods are as important as Fire Arms in war times.
A soldier or sailor can't do his duty properly unless properly fed. His health and strength must be protected.
The Army and Navy use foods—baking ingredients—that have been selected with exacting care. Only the best have been allowed to "pass muster."
CALUMET BAKING POWDER
could only be accepted because of its excellence, and because of its purity and wholesomeness and the absolute protection it gives against bake-day failures
Uncle Sam chooses from all. His selection should show you which brand of baking powder is best for your individual use.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Oct. 31. — CORN — Dec., $1.19¼; May, $1.15¼.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Oct. 31.— CATTLE — Receipts, 14,000; steers, $10.00@$16.00; cows, $6.00@$14.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; top, $16.90; bulk, $15.75@$16.85.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 31.— CATTEL — Receipts, 21,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 25,000; market, 5c higher; top, $17.00.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Oct. 31.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; market, 10c to 15c higher; top, $16.75.

POULTRY WANTED.

I am Paying today:—

Hens, per lb.....16c
Springs, per lb 16c
Old Roosters, per lb 12c

B. A. FROST
416 N. Main St. Maryville, Mo.

Death of Little Child.

Charles Roach the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Roach of Graham, died yesterday morning from serious burns received Monday when he fell against a hot stove.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the residence conducted by the Rev. E. C. Croy, pastor of the Methodist church. Burial was in the Graham cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us during our recent fire. We appreciate the efforts of the fire department in trying to save our home and of those who attempted to carry out furniture.

31 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dickey who have been visiting in Clinton, Mo., with Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Wallace, returned Monday night to their home.

TERRIBLY SICK WOMAN

Surgical Operation Thought Necessary, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her.

Madison, Wis.—"I was a terribly sick woman for over three years. I suffered with terrible pains in my back and was about to have an operation when a friend said to me, 'Before having that operation just try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.' So I let the operation wait, and my husband bought me the Vegetable Compound and it has made me a well woman and we have a lovely baby girl. We cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough, and I hope this letter will lead other suffering women to try it."—Mrs. BENJAMIN F. BLAKE, R.F.D. No. 5, Box 22, Madison, Wis.

There must be more than a hundred thousand women in this country who, like Mrs. Blake, have proven what wonders Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can do for weak and ailing women. Try it and see for yourself.

All women are invited to write for free and helpful advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

Are You Looking For This

Good land at a low price in the Sunny Uplands of Louisiana; land that can be made to produce more, and at less expense than the highest priced land in the North; land in an ideal climate where Winters are like Spring and Summers are cooled by the delightful Gulf Breezes; long growing seasons; Corn, Cotton, Winter Oats, Cattle, Hogs, Chickens, Delicious Fruits, Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Peanuts, Beans, early and late Garden Truck, Strawberries, etc., etc.—an immense variety of products including practically all grown in the North and many besides. Low priced land near good, live towns and cities, with railroads running North and South, East and West; land having splendid possibilities for oil and located less than 100 miles from several of the largest oil refineries in the world. We have already sold more than 45,000 acres of this land. Price $20 to $30 per acre, the last named price being for a few partially improved farms; easy terms. Write us for full information, or come and see us; excursion rates; American Farm Land Company, DeRidder, Louisiana.

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co. INCORPORATED

10c

YOU must always think of our Guarantee on every package of Lucky Strike Cigarettes as a direct personal message from The American Tobacco Company to you—not a mere business formality.

Read it; this is what it says:

GUARANTEE

If these cigarettes are not in perfect condition, or if they are not entirely satisfactory in every way, return the package and as many of the cigarettes as you have not smoked, to your dealer and he will refund your money.

You couldn't ask for anything more complete, sweeping or unreserved, could you?

You are protected, the dealer is protected: everyone who pays his money for Lucky Strike Cigarettes is given the squarest deal that plain English can define.

Isn't it a satisfaction to you to buy goods in which the manufacturer's confidence is so completely expressed, and the dealer's confidence so thoroughly backed up?

It gives you confidence; brings us all together—a complete circle of confidence.

Lucky Strike is the real Burley cigarette: you'll enjoy it immensely: the new flavor:

It's Toasted

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NEW MAIL RATE TOMORROW

Rate For Letters Will Be Three Cents —Two Cents For Postals—New Stamps Will Not Be Issued.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Tomorrow is the last day of the two-cent letter and the one-cent postal card. The provision of the new war revenue law which calls for an additional tax of one cent on mail becomes effective Friday.

Letters which the Government heretofore carried for two cents, postal cards printed and sold by the Government and bearing an impressed stamp, and souvenir postcards must bear an extra one-cent stamp after midnight tomorrow night. The provision allows letters and cards mailed and delivered in the same city to be carried for the old rates, but all outgoing mail must bear the additional stamp.

No new stamp will be issued, as the Government already prints a three cent stamp. The two and one cent stamps will be issued, as in the past, but every outgoing letter will require a one and a two-cent stamp, a souvenir postcard two cents in postage and the Government postal card a one-cent stamp besides the impressed stamp. Three-cent stamps may be used.

The new postal rates have caused some people to buy large supplies of two-cent stamps, with the expectation of beating the Government. The trouble is wasted, as there is absolutely no way of sending a letter through the mails without the additional stamp.

Gilman City Visitor Here.

Mrs. Jack Burk and sons, Buster and Ralph, of Gilman City arrived last night in Maryville for a few days' visit with Mrs. Burk's nephew, Will Combs, and other relatives. Before returning to their home, Mrs. Burk and sons, will visit in Clearmont, with her sister, Mrs. Tom Combs and her father, William Downey, who is spending the winter with Mrs. Combs.

Howard Leech of Shenandoah, B. Shell of Wilcox, B. F. Waugh and son of Bolckow, Mr. and Mrs. James Forcade and son, and Henry Forcade of Graham, Barney Brady and C. P. Durbin of Conception, Tom McGary of Clyde and Ernest Thull of Pickering are among the out-of-town people in Maryville today.

REMOVED—
to the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Braniger, over Townsends.
Chas. E. Stilwell.

Visit—

D. E. Hotchkin

Bradley's Kindergarten Material, General School Supplies. Most interesting Teacher's Store in the City.

111 W. THIRD ST. MARYVILLE

Gold Fish

Fish Moss
Fish Food, etc.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
Phones 17. 1001 S. Main

What Do You Know About Your Blood Supply?

Your ignorance may startle you.

Few people know of the many functions of the blood supply, and just how important it is that it be kept absolutely free from all impurities. The health of the entire body depends upon the condition of the blood. You are invited to write and obtain a booklet that gives you some valuable information on this important subject. It tells how to keep the blood strong and free from the many impurities to which it is constantly subject.

It gives the history of S. S. S., the world's most successful blood remedy, which has been sold for more than fifty years by druggists everywhere. This book will be sent free to all who write to Swift Specific Co., Dept. A Atlanta, Ga.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—No. 5 Oliver Typewriters, cheap, on monthly payments. I. B. Jones, 418 West Second St. x

BREEDING STOCK FOR SALE — Choice lot of February and March male pigs. Write or call A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo., Farmers phone 1-13. 25tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Property at 516 South Buchanan. Phone or see Dr. K. C. Cummins. 17tf.

FOR SALE—Buick car Model 17. J. L. Fisher. 17tf

FOR SALE—1916 Ford car. S. C. Clark, 209-211 North Market. 30-1*

FOR SALE—Fresh cow. John Gates Farmers phone 27-19. 30-1*

FOR SALE OR RENT—8-room house modern except heat. Inquire J. D. Dickerson or Hartness & Son. 20tf.

FOR SALE—Registered Poland-China spring male pigs, one yearling. Chas. Gallagher, Han. phone 2R 29-31*

FOR SALE—Two dozen Barred Rock pullets. Mrs. Albert S. Watson, Farmers 5-15. 29-31*

FOR SALE—1916 model 5-passenger Ford touring car. Guaranteed to run and in good condition. J. J. Heifner. 30-1

RUMMAGE SALE—Friday and Saturday, this week, in Frost building, West Third street, by Presbyterian Aid society. 30-1*

FOR SALE—Upright piano, mahogany case, standard make. Good as new. Landon Music Co. 30-5

FOR SALE—An extra good yearling Duroc boar. High model breeding. J. L. Clayton, Pickering, Mo., Farmers phone 10-17. 29-31*

FOR SALE—Good home, 7 rooms and bath, completely modern, convenient, plenty of closets, cemented basement, corner lot, close in. Will be sold worth the money. Enquire this office. 29tf.

FOR SALE—Two full blood Duroc male pigs, serviceable size, reasonable price. A. C. Nicholas, both phones. 31-2

FOR SALE—I have the exclusive sale of 5 acres, 9-room modern dwelling, barn and garage, 9 blocks from square. One of the finest residence properties in the city. Client will take small farm, priced right, in the deal. Call or write, don't phone. Chas. E. Stilwell, over Townsend's, Maryville, Mo. 27-2

MISCELLANEOUS

STRAYED—Gray and white Angora male cat. Finder please notify Mrs. W. B. Price, Hanamo 3518. 29-31

FOR EXCHANGE—Stock to exchange on a small Maryville property or automobile. Allen Bros., north side of square. 31-2

STRAYED—Black mare, no white spots, weight between 1,150 and 1,200; blocky built; coming 7-yr.-old. Notify Paul E. Campbell, Barnard. 29-1*

LOST—Watch, 17 jewel Elgin, works No. 13179235, open case, 16 size, Boss case No. 5096248. Between New Hope Baptist church and Orrsburg. Vern Heflin, Parnell. Phone Orrsburg. 31-2*

LOST—Bunch of keys with name plate "John T. Nolty, St. Louis." Finder return to Dr. H. L. Stinson. 29-31*

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nov. 15, modern 8-room house, basement, garage, good furnace, located 309 West Thompson street. N. F. Hopper, 309 West 2nd. 23-5

FOR RENT—Modern, clean, warm rooms, with or without light housekeeping. 216 East Third. Hanamo 3041. 29tf.

FOR RENT — Front rooms over South Side bakery, formerly occupied by U. S. Recruiting Station. Inquire of Kate Schenck, Hanamo 683. 30tf.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room in private home; furnace heat; very reasonable to man and wife. Call 3445. 30-1

FOR RENT—One large office room in Michau building. Possession can be given Nov. 1. Inquire 219 West Second street. 19tf.

WANTED

WANTED—Table boarders. J. S. Pfeiffer, 522 N. Market. 30-1*

WANTED—Single man to work on farm this fall and winter. Arkoe phone. A. C. Holt. 29-3*

WANTED—To repair and recharge your storage batteries. Rental batteries for you car while yours is being repaired. Exchange your old batteries in on new ones. Willard Storage Battery Service Station, both phones. J. L. Fisher. 9tf.

WANTED—Two or three cords of good wood. Call Farmers phone 218. 30-1

WANTED—Refined capable woman, whole or part time as manager for good paying business. Permanent good paying opening for responsible woman. Address, with telephone number, if any, Business, care Democrat-Forum. 31-6*

FOR SALE—233 acres, 3 miles south of Hume, Mo., 50 acres in blue grass pasture, 120 acres in corn, balance clover and timothy, 12 acres fenced hog tight, 160 acres fenced in 40 acre fields, one slight draw across the pasture, good wells and cistern, two ponds in pasture, land all lays good and in a fine state of cultivation, good soil and very productive, good 6-room one-story house, two cement porches, one very large, good cement outside cave, two barns, one 40x40 with hay fork and one 36x40 with hay fork, two good chicken houses, smoke house hog house, on public road, R. F. D. and telephone line, one-fourth mile to school, good road to town, good thrifty orchard of 80 trees, 40 acres now in wheat, that goes with place if sold before November 1. Priced at a sacrifice price of $65 per acre. Carry back $5,000 at 6 per cent. Capps Realty Co., Rich Hill, Mo. 31-1*

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Marriage Licenses.

The following were issued marriage licenses today by County Recorder Baker.

Herb Glasinger and Clara Clark, both of Creston, Ia.

Ray Root and Nora Gray, both of Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Browning of Russell, Kan., arrived in Maryville last night. Mr. Browning will take Leiber Holmes' place in the Holmes Jewelry store.

R. G. Allan returned Monday night from Dearborn, Mo., where he visited over Sunday with his brother, George Allan, who was injured in a run-away a few days ago.

Miss Gertrude Conn of Ravenwood will arrive in Maryville tonight and will be the guest of Miss Neva Key, during the teachers' association.

Like Clock-Work!

(By N. B. Cook, M. D.)

The machinery of the body needs to be well oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile, steam engine or bicycle. Why should the human neglect his own machinery more than that of his horse or his engine? Yet most people do neglect themselves. Their tongue has a dark brown color, their skin sometimes sallow, and breath bad, yet they fail to see that their machinery needs attention. Everybody should take a mild laxative or cathartic at least once a week. A pleasant way to clear up the tongue and to clear up the highly colored water noticed in the morning is to take a pleasant laxative which will cure the inactive liver and biliousness.

An easily procured vegetable pill is made up of May-apple, the dried juice of the leaves of aloes, and the root of jalap, made into a tiny pellet and coated with sugar. It was first put into ready-to-use form by Dr. Pierce nearly 50 years ago. Almost every drug store in this country sells these vegetable pellets in vials for 25c—simply ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. There can be no counterfeit if they have the Dr. R. V. Pierce stamp upon them.

MISSOURI FOLKS

Kirksville, Mo.—"About eight years ago I had a dreadful sick spell. I was in bed seven weeks with what the doctor called neuralgia of the stomach. The pain was simply unbearable and I could not turn over in bed or sleep. My friends thought it was cancer of the stomach, I was in such bad shape. Then some of my husband's friends told him about Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and he bought me a bottle to try. The first dose seemed to ease me and it eventually cured me so that I had absolutely no pain and slept like a child. My daughter seemed to inherit my weak stomach and the only medicine that ever gave her relief was the 'Golden Medical Discovery'."—Mrs. J. A. Kyle, 718 E. McPherson.

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Saturday, November 3, 1917

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